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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Stephane Biziorek et al.  
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Examiner: : Jeffrey J. Restifo

Docket (atty ref.) No. : 09107-US  
Title : RETAINER ARRANGEMENT CONNECTING  
OPERATING UNIT TO VEHICLE

Moline, IL 61265  
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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
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Request for Reconsideration after Final Rejection

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Rejection dated 10/23/2006, applicant requests that the above-identified application be reconsidered for the reasons set forth in the following remarks:

**Listing of Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.